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Dedication

We, the senior class of 1956, wish to acknowledge the tireless efforts and sacrifices that you, our parents, have made during our school years. We therefore dedicate to you our Willow of 1956.

Willow Staff

CO-EDITORS

Jeanette Voltz, Gilbert Merkle

STANDING, Left to Right: Farrel Krall, John Goodwin, Dave Byer, Raymond Midlam, Carolyn Charleston, Jerry Dennis, Alan Clase, Larry Miller, Dick Samples, Leon Kallenberger, Ronnie Stetler, Donnie Jones.

SEATED: Linda Finch, Phyllis Baumgartner, Mary Ann Fisher, Gary Kesler, Betsy Estill, Norma James, Vernie Frank.

Administration

MR. R. G. BRAND
County Superintendent

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MRS. LOUISE BUECHNER
Office Secretary

MR. R. G. LUCAS
Superintendent

Faculty

BACK ROW, Left to Right: Mrs. Bain, 4th Grade; Mrs. Games, English; Mrs. Vining, Music; Mr. Hall, Commercial; Mr. Games, History, Principal; Mr. Lucas, Superintendent; Mr. D. Black, Industrial Arts; Mr. Sipe, 6th Grade; Mr. R. Black, 7th Grade; Mr. Ray, Mathematics and Science.

FRONT ROW: Mrs. Rumple, Home Economics; Mrs. Byers, English and Dramatics; Mrs. Bowen, 5th Grade; Mrs. Dellinger, 3rd Grade; Mrs. Fisher, Combination 1st and 2nd Grades; Mrs. Schroeder, 2nd Grade; Mrs. Clouse, 1st Grade.

Cooks

Mrs. Effie Lautzenheiser, Mrs. Bertha Anderson, Mrs. Ella Regedanz.

Bus Drivers

Max Dellinger, Charles Hall, Robert Games,
Earl Snyder, Verl Byer, Albert Roehm.

Custodians

Tom Passwaters and Roy Hook

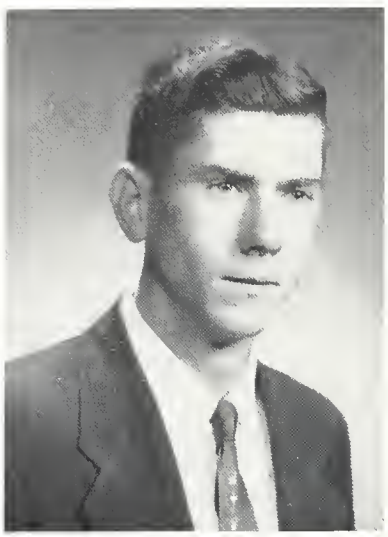
Seniors

PHYLLIS BAUMGARTNER

Choir 3,4; Glee Club 1; Class Play 3; Willow Staff 4; Willscribe Staff 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4.

PAUL BOLLENBACHER

Glee Club 1,2; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Class Officer 2; Basketball 1,2,3,4;

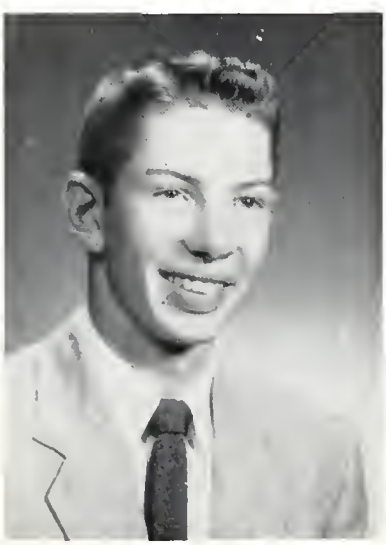


BILL BROTHERTON

Band 1,2,3,4; Camera Club 1; Art Club 1; Choir 3.

DAVID BYER

Willscribe Staff 4; Glee Club 1,2; Willow Staff 4; Class Officer 2,3; Class Play 3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2.



JUDY BYER

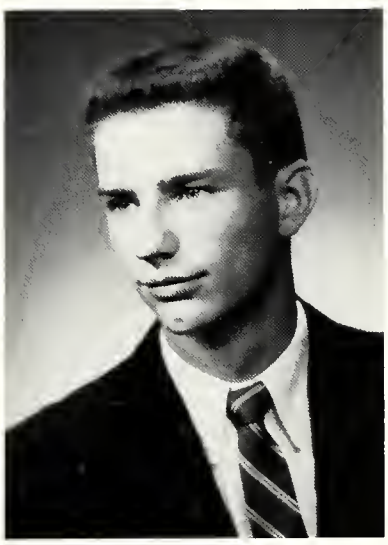
Glee Club 1,2; Class Play 3; Willscribe Staff 4; Y-Teens 1,2; Class Officer 1,2,4; Scholarship 3.

CAROLYN CHARLESTON

Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Class Play 3; Cheerleader 2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2; Willscribe Staff 4; Willow Staff 4; Class Officer 1,2,3,4; Fall Festival Queen 1; Band Sweetheart Attendant 1; Majorette 1,2,3; Drum Majorette 4; Scholarship Test 2.

ALAN CLASE

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1, 2; Willow Staff 4; Class Play 3; Willscribe Staff 4; Class Officer 4; Boys State 3; Baseball 1,2,3,4.

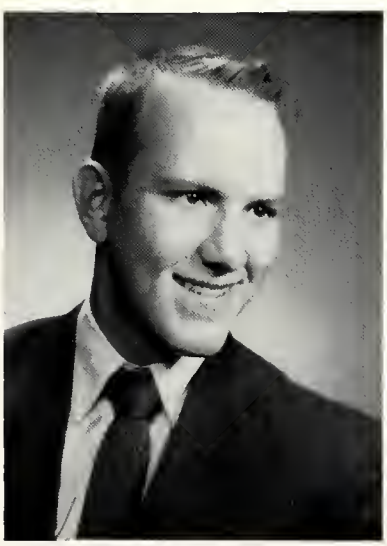


JERRY DENNIS

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2; Willow Staff 4; Willscribe Staff 4; Class Play 3; Baseball 4.

JIM FINCH

Basketball Manager 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1, 2; Class Play.



BETSY ESTILL

Choir 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Willow Staff 4; Willscribe Staff 4; Class Play 3; Scholarship Tests 1,2,3,4; D.A.R. Test 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls State; Librarian 1,2,3,4.

LINDA FINCH

Glee Club 1,2; Choir 3; Class Play 3; Willow Staff 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3.

MARY ANN FISHER

Choir 1,2,3,4; Class Play 3; Willow Staff 4; Willscribe Staff 4; Student Council 3,4; Glee Club 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3, 4; Y-Teens Officer 2,4; Class Officer 1; Student Council Officer 3, 4; Band Sweetheart Attendant 2; Fall Festival Queen 4.

VERNIE FRANK

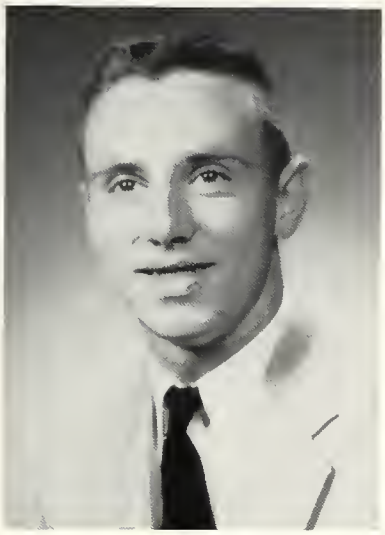
Choir 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2, 3,4; Glee Club 1,2; Willow Staff 4; Willscribe Staff 4; Class Play 3; Scholarship Test 1.

JOHN GOODWIN

Choir 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2; Willow Staff 4; Basketball Manager 4.

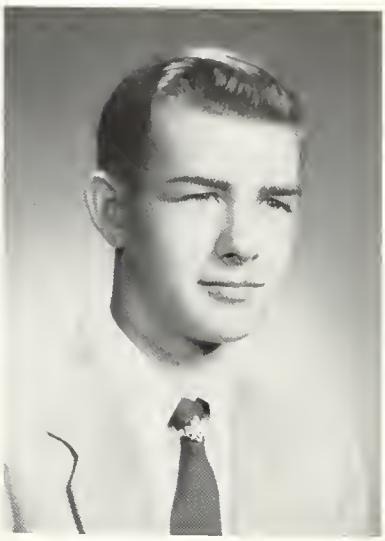
NORMA JAMES

Band 1,2,3; Willscribe Staff 4; Class Play 3; Glee Club 1, 2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; Willow Staff 4.



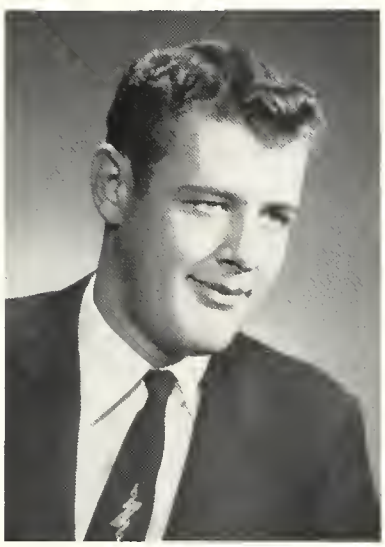
DONNIE JONES

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2; Glee Club 1,2; Willow Staff 4.



LEON KALLENBERGER

Choir 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2; Willow Staff 4; Willscribe Staff 4; Scholarship Test 2,4.

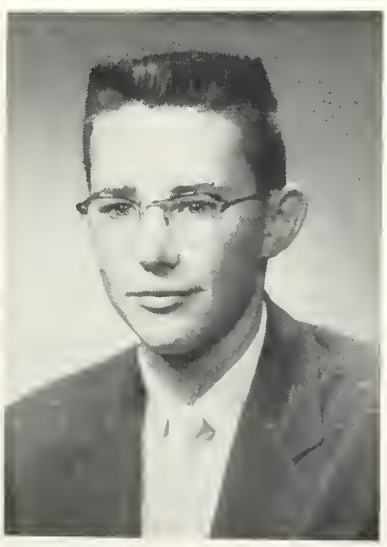


GARY KESLER

Baseball 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2; Willow Staff 4; Willscribe Staff 4; Scholarship Test 3.

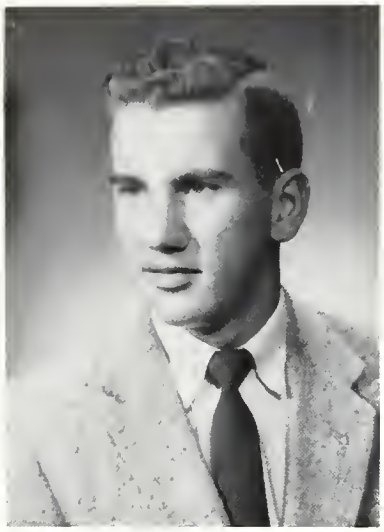
FARREL KRALL

Glee Club 1,2; Willow Staff 4; Class Play 3; Scholarship Test 4.



GERALD KUHN

Baseball 2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2.



GILBERT MERKLE

Baseball 2,3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2; Band 1,2,3,4; Willow Staff 4; Class Officer 1,2,3; Class Play 3; Scholarship Tests 1,2,3; Class Play 3.

LARRY MILLER

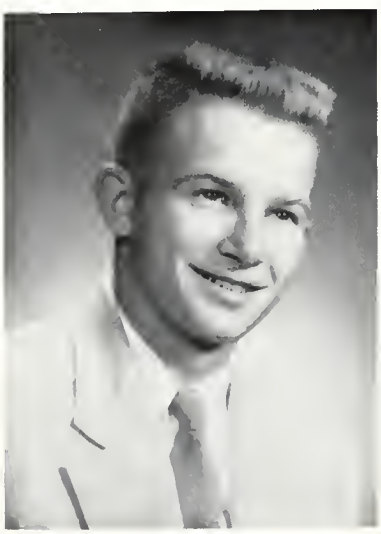
Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2; Band 1; Willow Staff 4; Willscribe Staff 4; Class Play 3; Student Council 4; Student Council Officer 4.

RAYMOND MIDLAM

Glee Club 1,2; Willow Staff 4.

DICK SAMPLES

Baseball 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2; Willow Staff 4; Class Play 3.



RONNIE STETLER

Glee Club 1; Willow Staff 4; Willscribe Staff 4; Class Officer 1,4; Class Play 3.

JEANETTE VOLTZ

Band 1,2,3,4; Choir 3,4; Glee Club 1,2; Class Play 3; Willow Staff 4; Willscribe Staff 4; Class Play 3; Scholarship Tests 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; D.A.R. Test 4; Librarian 1,2,4; Y-Teen Conference 3.

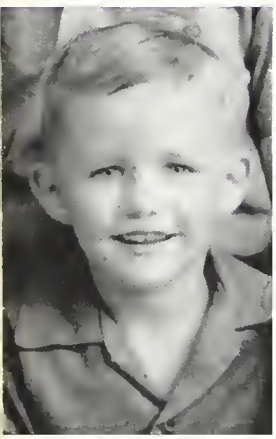
Phyllis Baumgartner, June 5, 1938
Paul Bollenbacher, July 21,1938
Bill Brotherton, June 25, 1937
David Byer, February 9, 1938
Judy Byer, March 27,1938

Alan Clase, August 20, 1938
Carolyn Charleston, August 31,1938
Jerry Dennis, July 10, 1938
Betsy Estill, September 29, 1938

Jim Finch, October 31, 1936
Linda Finch, August 31,1938
Mary Ann Fisher, April 18,1938
Vernie Frank, June 29,1938

John Goodwin, June 18,1938
Norma James, September 26, 1938
Donnie Jones, September 15,1938
Leon Kallenberger, December 13, 1938
Gary Kesler, March 20,1938

Farrel Krall, October 12,1938
Gerald Kuhn, March 19,1938
Gilbert Merkle, May 13,1938
Raymond Midlam, November 9,1938



Larry Miller, August 15,1938
Dick Samples, November 11, 1938
Ronnie Stetler, January 21,1938
Jeanette Voltz, July 28,1938

Senior History

One day in early September, 1944, thirty-seven scared but eager children started their first year of school in the Willshire Public School in Willshire, Ohio. Miss Brookhart, our teacher, was there to greet us and to help us get started on the path of learning. We passed on to our second grade with Mrs. Eichar trying her best. When we got to the third grade we thought we were pretty bright "kids," but Mrs. Weiman soon brought us down to our level.

Finally we made it to the fourth grade, and Mrs. Bain tried her best to teach us "reading, 'riting, 'rithmetic." Mrs. Bowen and Mr. Sipe, in the fifth and sixth grades, respectively, tried to teach us a few more subjects.

Then, Junior High, at last. "Big Stuff," we thought. We were lucky to have Miss Dent as our sponsor. We had our first class parties that year. Before we knew it we were moving into the eighth grade, with Mr. Compton as our sponsor. We had a lot of fun until the end of the year when we started worrying about the eighth grade state tests. Those that were lucky to get honorable mention didn't have to take the final exams.

Time was really flying. High school was here. We were, then, green freshmen starting projects with our sponsor, Mr. Griffith, pushing us. What a group!!

We ended our freshman year with a big treasury of $.50 with which to start our sophomore year. Mr. Games was really very lucky. He had us our sophomore, junior, and senior years in high school. Poor Mr. Games, just about pulled the REST of his hair out trying to get us to do anything until our senior year when we really pepped up. All in all, class plays, and all of the activities have kept us busy. We truly appreciate all of the things our teachers have done for us.

Senior Data

CLASS FLOWER	CLASS MOTTO	CLASS COLORS
Yellow Rose	"Today We Follow-Tomorrow We Lead"	Cerise and Silver

CLASS ROLL

Phyllis Jeannene Baumgartner
Paul Eugene Bollenbacher
William Allen Brotherton
David Lee Byer
Judith Byer
Carolyn Arlene Charleston
Robert Alan Clase
Jerry Thomas Dennis
Betsy Ellen Estill
James Marks Finch
Linda Sue Finch
Mary Ann Fisher
Vernie Phyllis Frank
John Orville Goodwin
Norma Jean James
Donnie Lee Jones
Leon Allen Kallenberger
Gary Alan Kesler
Farrel LeRoy Krall
Gerald Laverne Kuhn
Gilbert Rowland Merkle
Raymond Leroy Midlam
Larry Duane Miller
Richard Hayward Samples
Ronald Dean Stetler
Cecile Jeanette Voltz

CLASS SPONSOR

Mr. R. W. Games

Senior Class Prophecy

One June morning in the year of 2000, I decided to take a ride in my new jet plane. I got into the plane and took off from my built-in airport in my back yard. The traffic was pretty heavy that day, but since that never bothered me, I started for town. I happened not to see a stop sign, and BANG! Another jet hit me smack dab in the middle. No sooner had I been hit when everything turned black. It seemed as if I was in a different world, but suddenly I realized I was in INNER-SANCTUM. I saw that it was Norma James who had been the driver of the other jet, and while I was talking with her, we saw a large object with big arms and legs coming toward us. It was carrying an object we soon recognized as a basketball. Immediately I knew it was Gary Kesler. Gary told us that he had been expelled from Dave Byer's Universal Basketball Team for bothering the coach's girl friend. We wished him luck and then went on. We moved down the dark, black hall of INNERSANCTUM. As we reached the door we saw a very flashy, striped suit. At first, we were rather reluctant about going down the hall, but something kept telling us to go on. As we moved on we soon recognized another of our old classmates as Jim Finch, who was the second gate keeper. He told us not to be alarmed but to go right on. We took his advice and started again. As we went on we saw something flying around that had huge, terrifying wings and looked like a bat. We discovered that it was Dick Samples, the "Bat Man." It seems, he isn't a human being any more. Before too long we saw a sign that read, "Mother Fletcher's Boarding House." We walked up to the door and knocked. As the door opened, we were welcomed by Betsy Estill who registered our names. The bell-hop, Bill Brotherton, showed us to our rooms. Since we weren't very tired, we decided to wander around some more. As we were going out we met Jeanette Voltz and Leon Kallenberger who told us they were on the Board of Directors here at INNER-SANCTUM. Their meeting had just ended, and Jeanette told us that they were still debating whether or not to allow Joe Clase to join them. He had retired from selling women's plastic hose. They weren't quite sure he would fit in with their crowd. They suggested that we go get something to eat.

As we started down the long and cold hall, we ran into Paul Bollenbacher, who was commonly known as the "Sheik." Paul had straight, black hair plastered to his head and also had a sporty mustache. He was formerly a professional gambler. Walking on we noticed our old classmate, Donnie Jones. We asked Donnie about other members of our class, and he told us he would show us where they were. Very puzzled, we went with him into a large room where we saw a large machine with a number of knobs. He said it was a new kind of camera that could focus on any part of the world you wanted to see. He focused the camera on a large building on the continent of America. On the front of the building we read, a large sign, "Krall's Home for the Mentally Wild." Donnie told us that Dr. Krall's worst patient was Ronnie Stetler. Everytime someone enters the room, his eyes bulge out at a maximum of six inches, his tongue hangs out and drips, and he waves his arms as if he is trying to fly. We learned that Dr. Krall's head nurse was none other than Vernie Frank.

Donnie then focused the camera on the island known as Alcatraz. Donnie told us that John Goodwin was the warden there. We found some other members of the class of '56 there, also. Inmate Larry Miller and his gang were there. Members of his gang were Jerry Dennis, the driver of swiped cars; Gerald Kuhn, the gunman; and Carolyn Charleston, the "Brain." It seems they were caught holding up the Town Pump for peroxide. Larry wanted his hair to match Marilyn Monroe's. Speaking of Marilyn we heard that she was losing out to Phyllis Baumgartner, a beautiful red head. Donnie told us that Linda Finch and Judy Byer were deported to Pluto because they chose to stick with their husbands who were Plutonian spies. He also told us that they just love children and the last time he heard they had 17 apiece. He was told this morning that Mary Ann Fisher had wrecked her 15th hot rod. That seems to be her hobby. As we were leaving, Ray Midlam and Gil Merkle came in. They used to be undertakers, but now they were going to manage Coach Games's all-girl basketball team. They said he was really proud of all his girls. We felt that all in all the Class of '56 had turned out fairly well.

Robert W. Games Witness
Robert H. Lucas Witness

Class Will

We, the Senior Class of 1956, being of sound mind and body do will and bequeath the following possessions:

I, Phyllis Baumgartner, will what is left of me, after passing through school as follows; my height to Dana Hoblet, my love and ability to play basketball to Phyllis Goodwin, my "red" hair to Patsy Patrick, and my habit of never turning excuses in on time to Larry Huston.

I, Paul Bollenbacher, will my hot Packard to Larry Huston, my basketball suit to Bill Huffman, and my seat in the study hall to Allan Baker.

I, Bill Brotherton, here-by leave my desk to anybody who can sit in it for one period without falling asleep and my class ring to any one who can get it away from Betsy E.

I, Dave Byer, being of weak mind, here-by will my seat in the study hall to any cold-blooded junior and my chemistry book to any one who will create a great odor at least once a week.

I, Judy Byer, will the following; my ability to blush under any circumstances to Darlene Gibbons, my ability to let my hair grow to my sister Anne, and my love for home economics to Julia Suman.

I, Alan Clase, with a mind, will my "razor blade" to Larry Huston, my toenail clippers to Emma Marsee, my seat in the study hall to anybody who gets it, my basketball trunks to Joe Schinnerer, my baseball socks to Bill Huffman, and my high forehead to "Oop" Baker.

I, Carolyn Charleston, being of sound body and no mind, here-by will my cheerleading suit to my sister, Rosie, my majorette suit to one of the twirlers, my intelligent looking glasses to "Softie" Huston, and, last but not least, my love for sports to Anita Hughes.

I, Jerry Dennis, with a strong back and a weak mind, will my ability to keep busy in the shop to Allan Baker and Larry Huston, my desk in the study hall to any junior who likes a holey desk, and my flat top to Boyd Hey.

I, Betsy Ellen Estill, will my seat by the radiator that blows out cold air to Sharon Hoverman, my big feet, size 10, to Sondra Schlickman, and my love for school and the teachers to Phyllis Goodwin, who needs it.

I, Jim Finch, will my manager's job to Ted Passwater, my love for females to Bud Marbaugh, my ability to get into trouble in school to Allan Baker, and my ability to stay out of school to Bill Huffman.

I, Linda Finch, will my ability to get sick right before school starts in the morning to Anne Byer, my picture of Tab Hunter to Patsy Patrick, and my love for school, in general, to Allan Baker.

I, Mary Ann Fisher, in daydreaming mind, will my love to play basketball to Dana Hoblet, my half-bashfulness to Larry Huston, and my rosy cheeks to Janet Koch.

I, Vernie Frank, being in sound mind and body, I hope, will my seat in the study hall to Beverly Norton, my curly hair to Clara Garver, and my love for gym to Jeanette Alspaugh.

I, John Goodwin, being of sound body and a sound-off mind, will my seat in the study hall to any one with a strong back, my own right to raise and close the windows to the junior boys, and my right to play with the blinds to all junior girls.

I, Norma James, will my seat in the study hall to any one who is lucky enough to get it, my books to Emma Marsee, my love for school to Phyllis Goodwin, and last but not least, my love for a certain teacher to Mary Jane Witter.

I, Donnie Jones, will my ability to get along with the teachers to Bill Huffman, my seat in the study hall to any junior, and my basketball suit to anyone who thinks they can make the varsity.

I, Leon Kallenberger, will my place in chemistry class to anyone with a strong heart and weak mind, my ability to lose all my arguments with Mrs. Games to anyone who has the courage to take English, and, also, all of the dead mice in locker 104 to the biology class or to the girls in the junior class.

I, Gary Kesler, will my size 14 gym shoes to Bud Marbaugh, my basketball suit to Larry Huston, my seat in the study hall to Beverly Norton, if she can see over the desk, my love for all girls to Allan Baker, and last but least my 6' 9" frame and basketball "Boo's" to LaVaughn Merkle.

I, Farrel Krall, being of sound mind, will my seat in the study hall to any farsighted junior, my chemistry book to anyone who can read it with understanding, and my ability to get along with the teachers to Allan Baker.

I, Gerald Kuhn, will my seat in the study hall to any junior who wants it, my baseball suit to Jim Krueckeberg, my ability to get along with the teachers to Larry Huston, and my ability to get along with the girls to Boyd Hey.

Class Will

I, Gil Merkle, will my seat in the study hall to any clock-watcher, my spare time between classes to Charmaine Wilson, and my basketball suit to LaVaughn Merkle.

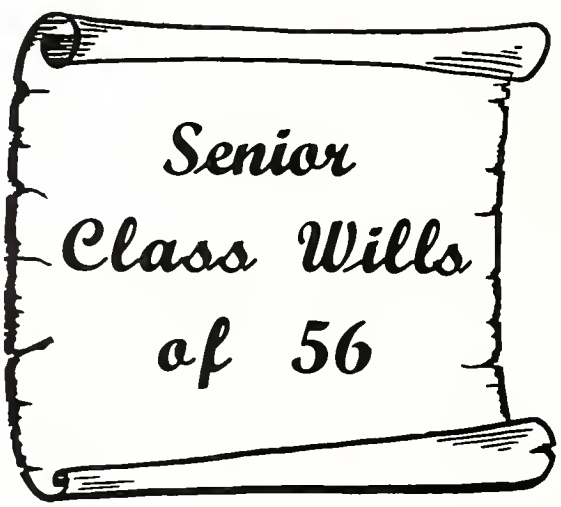
I, Ray Midlam, will my ability to get out of 4th period study hall to LaVaughn Merkle, my "auto" to Allan Baker, the junk in my locker to Larry Huston, and my good grades in bookkeeping to Kaye Charleston.

I, Larry Duane Miller, will the following to the juniors, my ability to get along with the teachers to Allan Baker, my basketball suit to Walter Roehm, all the gum wrappers in my desk to Kaye Charleston, and my affectionate love for "goats" to "Softie" Huston.

I, Dick Samples, will my flat top to Joe Schinnerer, my basketball suit to Walter Roehm, my bubble gum to Dana Hoblet, my love for spiders to Sondra Schlickman, and my ability to speed through the safety zone to Larry Huston and Allan Baker.

I, Ronnie Stetler, being of unsound mind and weak body, do here-by will my seat in the study hall to Boyd Hey, because "Boyd" is already written on the top, my height to Ted Passwater, my ability to sleep in all classes to anyone who runs around all night and needs it, and my ability to get out of work to the senior class president of '56 - '57.

I, Jeanette Voltz, will my eyes, that are always seeing imaginable people and cars outside of windows, to Sandy Marbaugh, my ability to type everything that is in my mind instead of on the copy to Louise Merkle, and my job on the annual staff to anyone willing to put up with a lot of needless headaches.



Underclassmen

Junior and Sophomore Grades

FRONT ROW, Left to Right: Beverly Norton, Clara Garver, Emma Marsee, Jeanette Alspaugh, Patsy Patrick, Louise Merkle, Anita Hughes, Sandy Marbaugh, Rosie Charleston. SECOND ROW: Sondra Schlickman, Charmaine Wilson, Sharon Hoverman, Mary Jane Witter, Dana Hoblet, Janet Koch, Ann Byer, Phyllis Goodwin, Julia Suman, Mr. Hall. THIRD ROW: Alan Baker, Larry Huston, Bud Marbaugh, Boyd Hey, Ted Passwaters, Jim Krueckeberg, Joe Schinnerer, LaVaughn Merkle, Walter Roehm, Bill Huffman.

FRONT ROW, Left to Right: Carolyn Kreischer, Nancy Stetler, Cynthia Reef, Deanne Osborn, Rachael Schaffner, Betha Etzler, Eileen Krall, Barbara Gunsett. SECOND ROW: Larry Hughes, Barbara Huffman, Mary Felver, Katy Buechner, Linda Geisler, Eileen Byers, Sharon Miller, Judy Stetler, Phil Lautzenheiser, Mr. D. Black. THIRD ROW: Eddie Alspaugh, Ronald Medaugh, Charles Kimmel, Chalmer Kuhn, Bill Schaadt, Roger Andrews, Gary Myers, Gary Hey, Ralph James.

Freshman and Eighth Grades

FRONT ROW, Left to Right: Dave Byers, Fred James, Vince Nieto, Jim Bollenbacher, Jim Cowan, Dick Dellinger, Bob Stetler. SECOND ROW: Betty Allmandinger, Judy Kuhn, Mary Goodwin, Pat Donovan, Jo Allmandinger, Nila Vining, Marlene Dietrich, Vicki Nuenschwander, Marlene Marbaugh, Sylvia Wilson. THIRD ROW: Bill Clouse, Richard Merkle, Evelyn Krall, Karen Hoverman, Delilah Kuhn, Rose Baumgartner, Rose Byer, Larry Caffee, Alvin Buchanan, Mr. Ray. FOURTH ROW: Ronald Kelsey, Keith Byer, Rex Painter, Ralph Merkle, Jim Myers, Leslie Leighner, Eddie Garver, David Duff.

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Seventh and Sixth Grades

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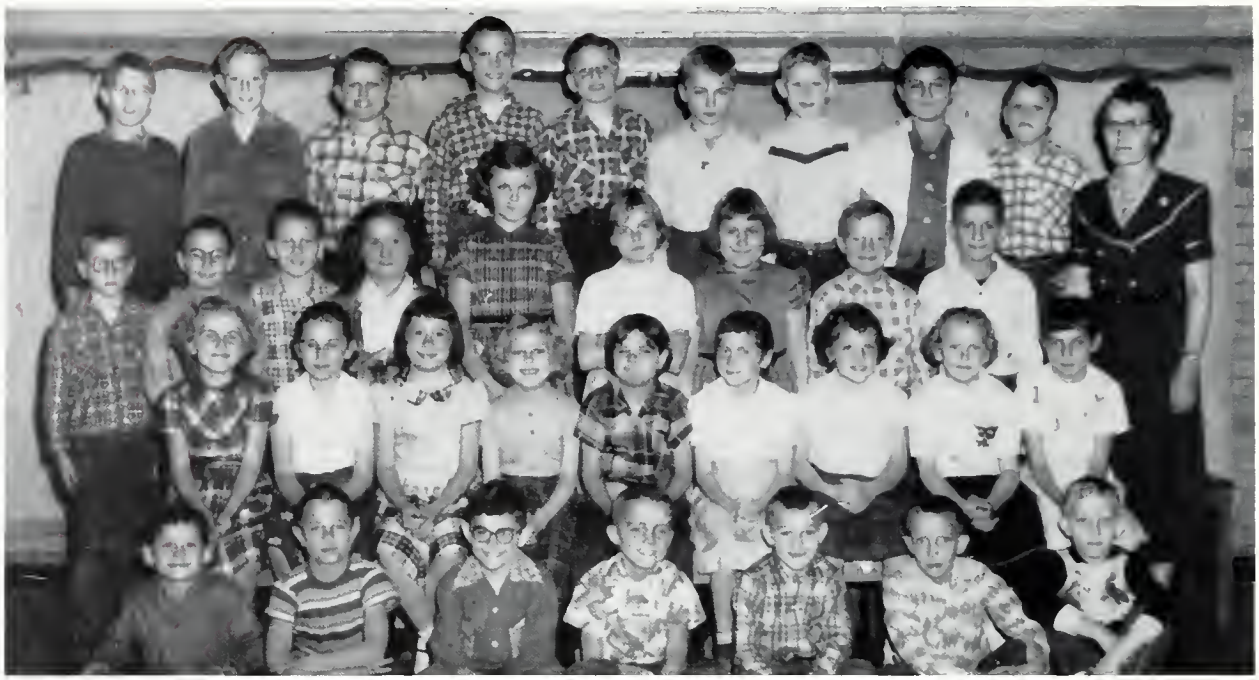

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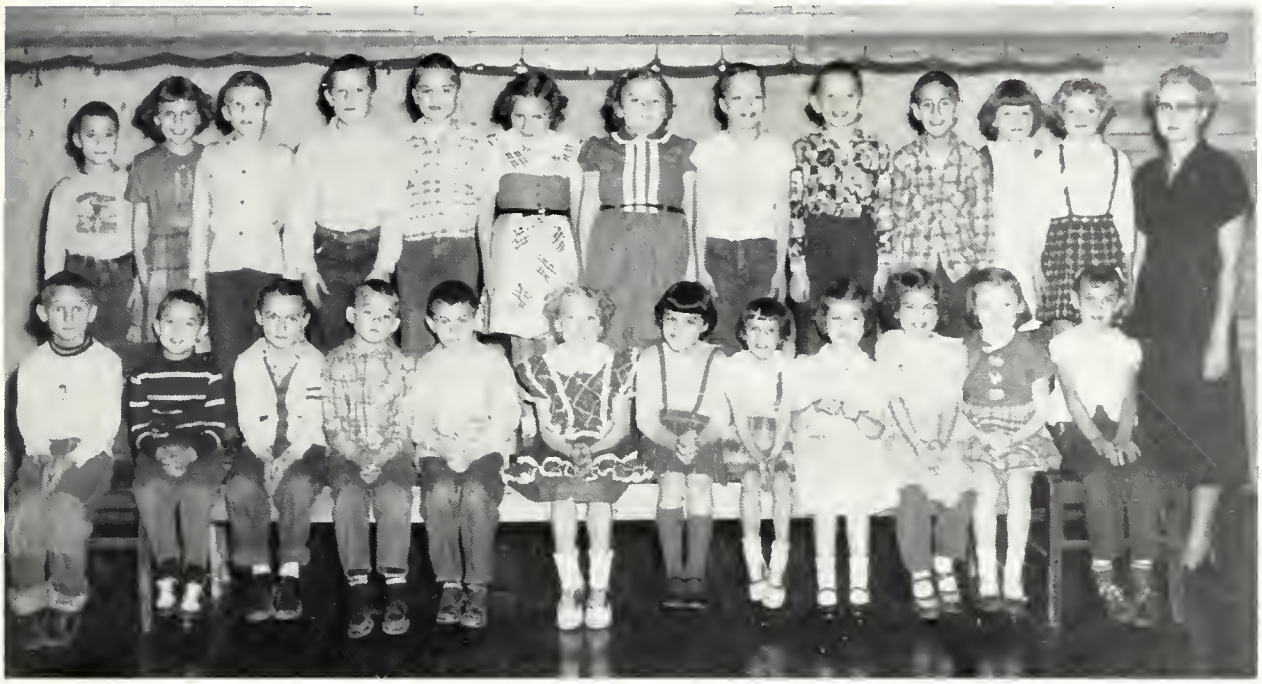

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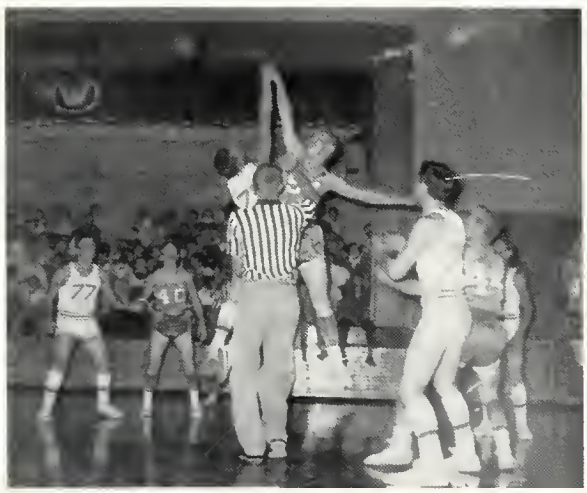
Mr. Arthur Reed

Opening Game

Absentees

Hungry!!!

Surprised?????



Tip it Jim!

Scene of Jr. Class Play

Daredevils!

Cutie

Sweet! !

LEGS!

What Happened????

LOVE!!

At Last!!

PALS!!

ONE TO MANY!!

Service Men!!

Greenies!

Going with
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Dazed

Easy does it !

All Smiles!

Marilyn Monroe??

In a hurry !!

Don't drop it!

Interested !!

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WOW!!

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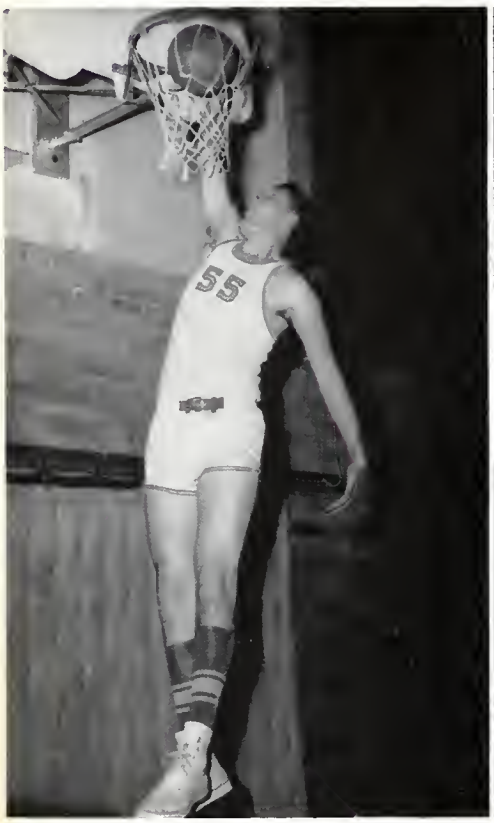

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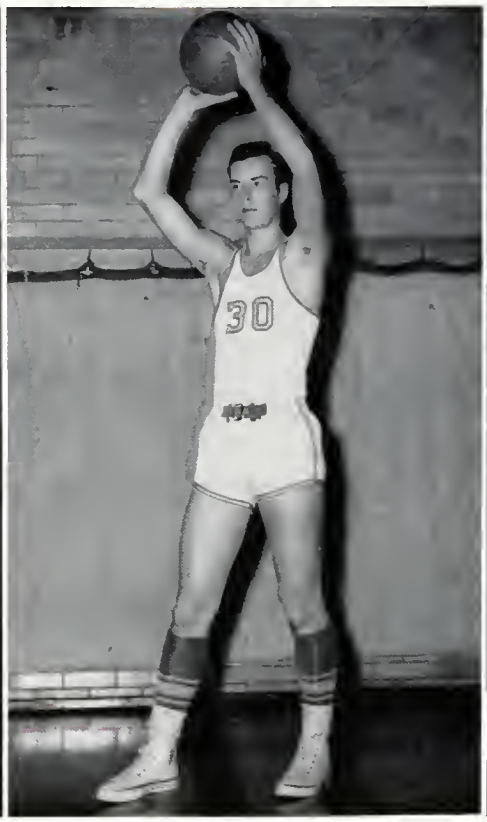
Center



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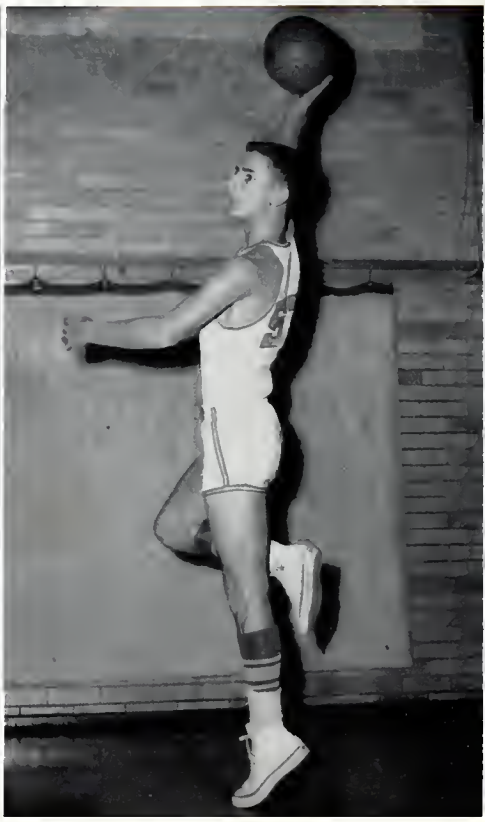

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Larry Huston
Guard

Jim Krueckeberg
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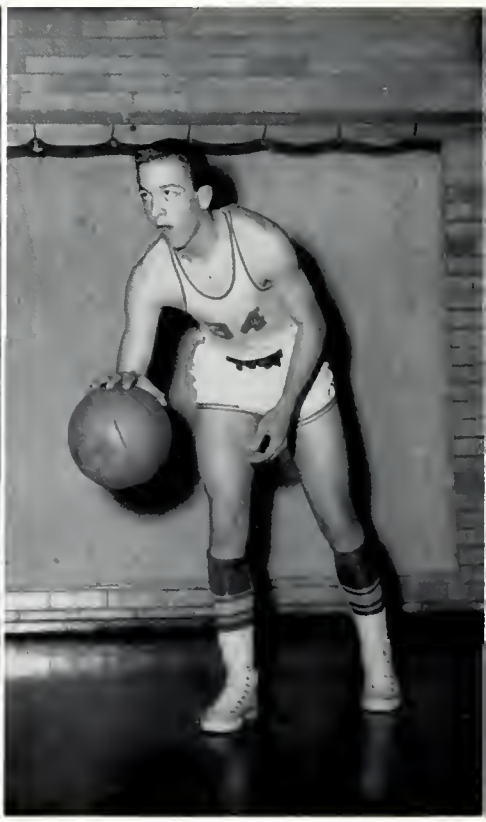

Paul Bollenbacher
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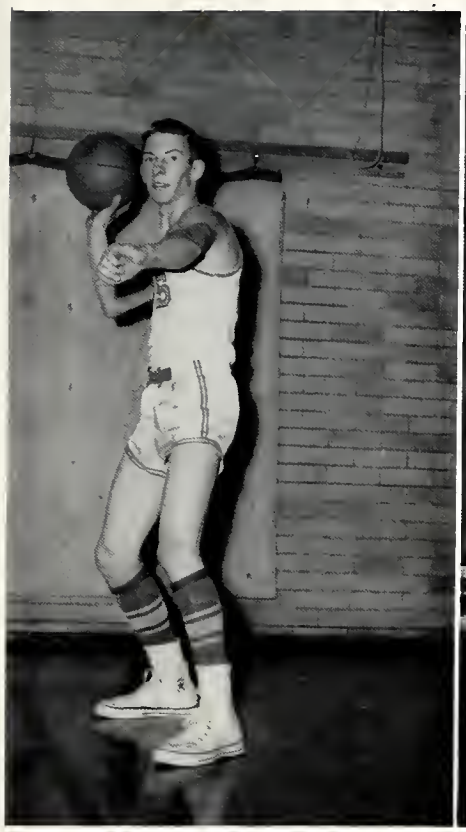

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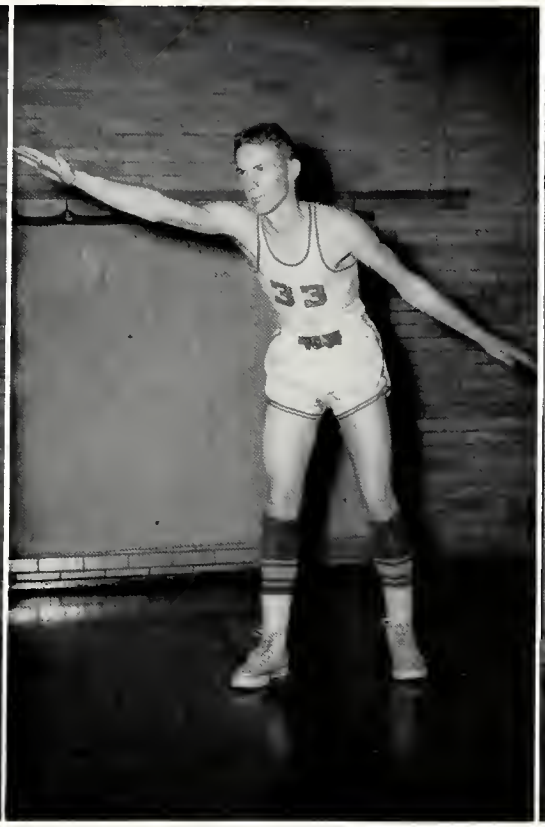

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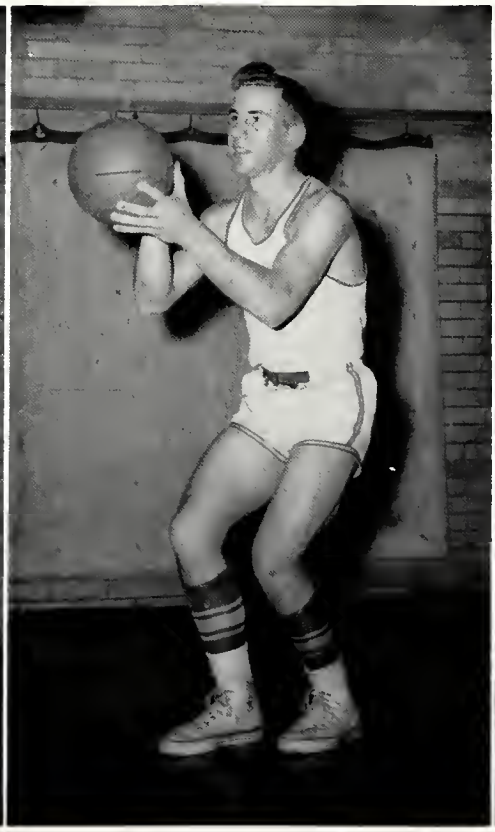

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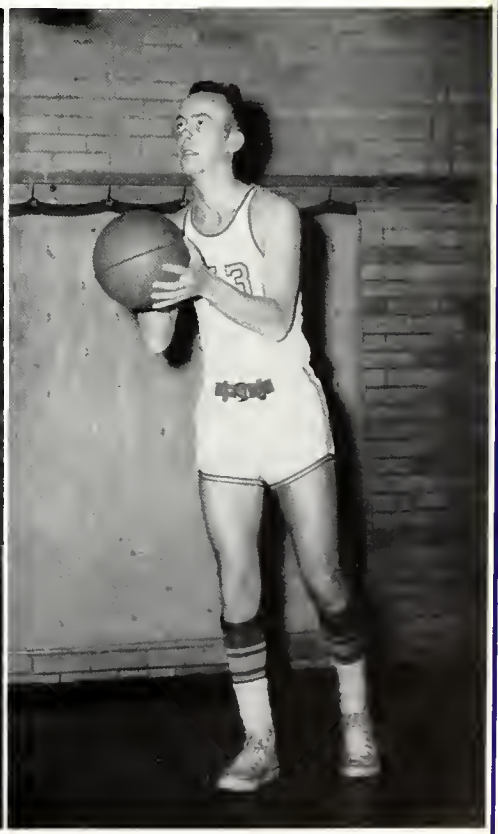

Alan Clase
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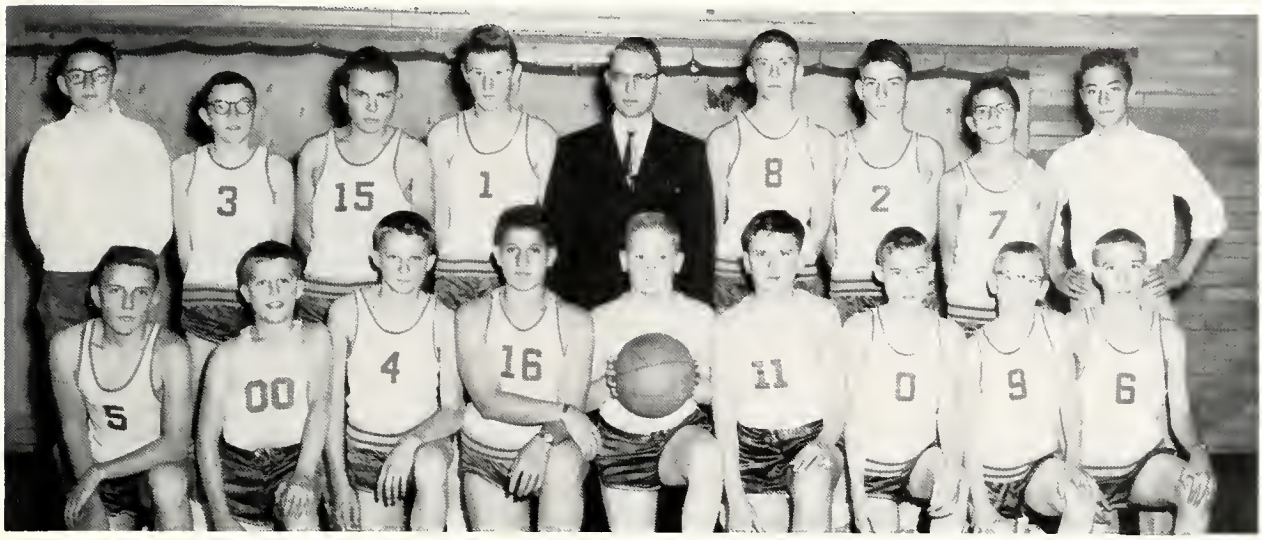

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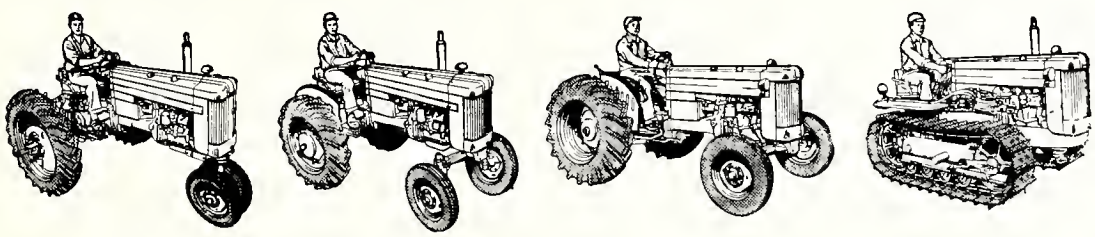

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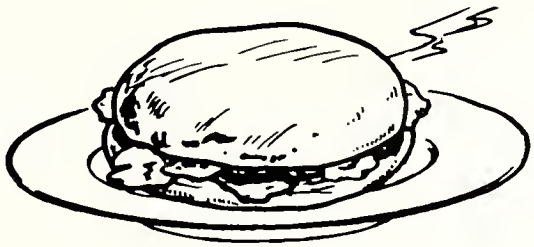

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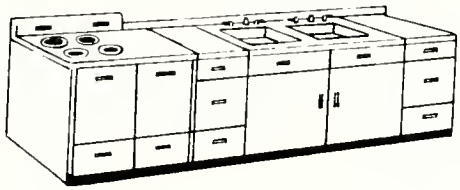

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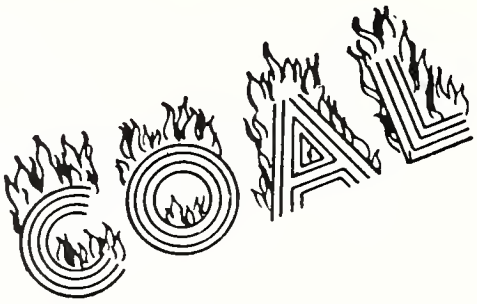

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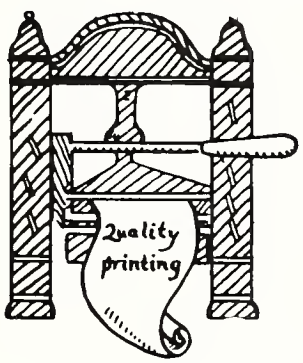

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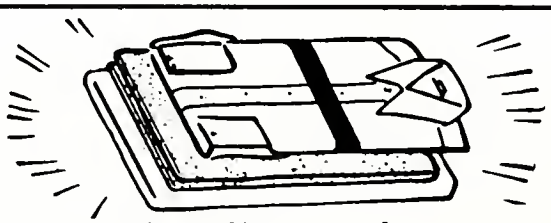

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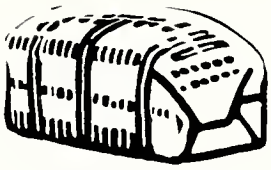

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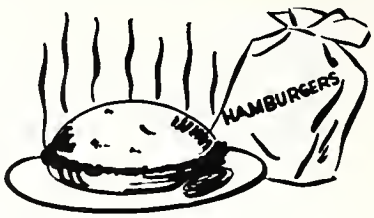

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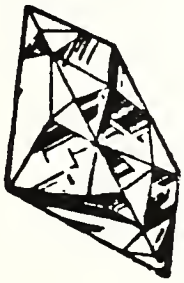

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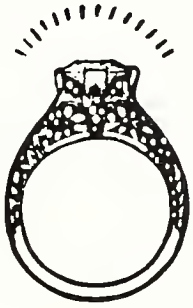

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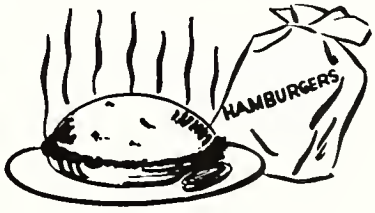

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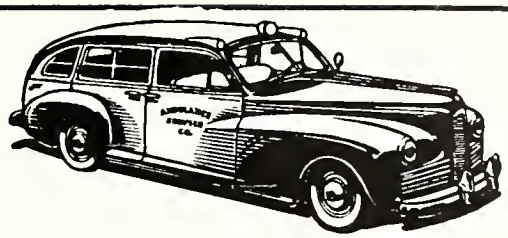

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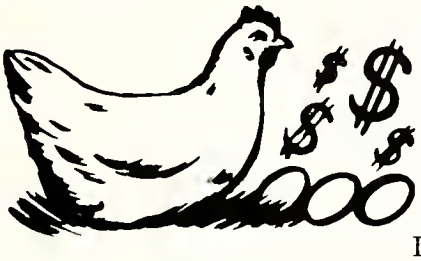

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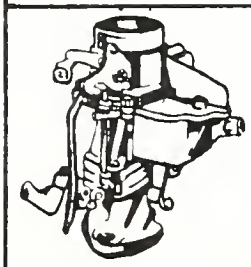

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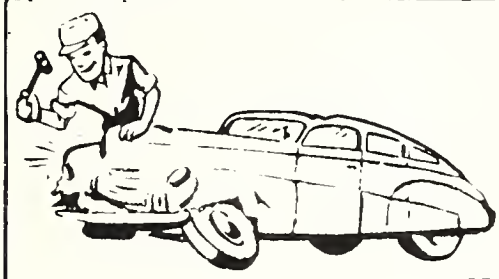

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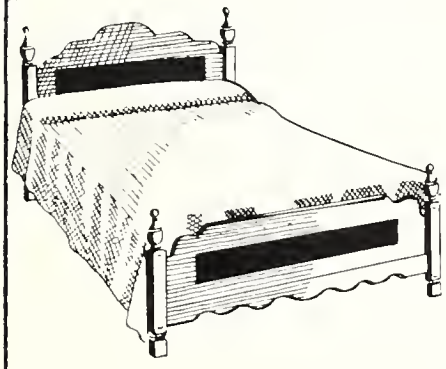

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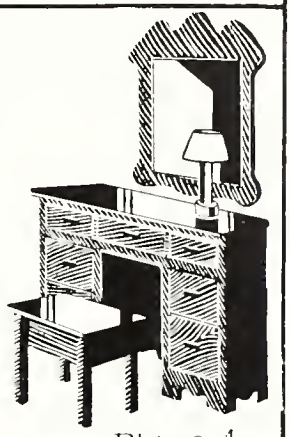

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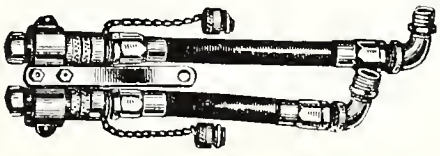

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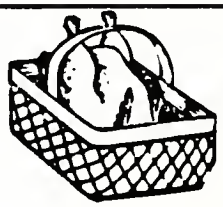

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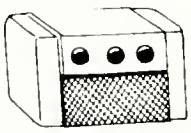

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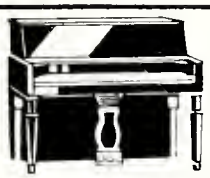

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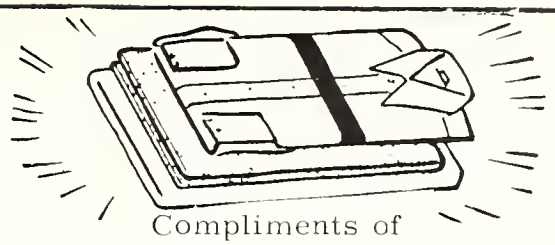

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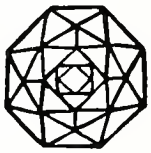

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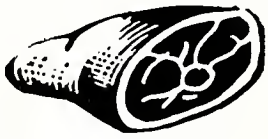

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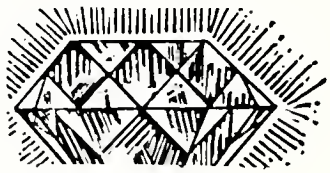

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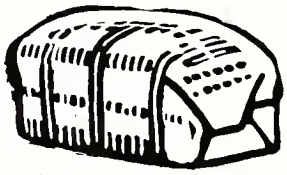

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